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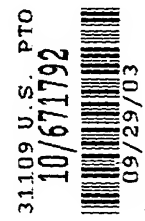
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**MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: Application of Roger ECOFFET and Sylvain WENGER  
SCREW-ON CROWN FOR TIMEPIECE  
Assignee: KS 22 S.A.  
Our Ref. Q77737



Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above including four (4) pages of the specification including eight (8) claims, an Abstract of the Disclosure, one (1) sheet of formal drawing containing Figs. 1-2, certified priority document and Information Disclosure Statement w/European Search Report, English translation of European Search Report, Form PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified) and copies of cited references.

**Copies of an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date with the required fees.**

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>8</u>	-	20	=		x	\$18.00	=	\$0.00
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A check for the statutory filing fee of \$750.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

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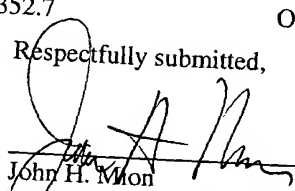
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